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Norway Churches

Methodist Episcopal
The Sunday morning service begins at 10:30 o'clock at which time the minister will bring a Christmas message appropriate to the season. The Sunday school meets immediately following the morning communion. At 6 o'clock the young peoples' league will meet in Community Hall.

The entire evening service beginning at 7 o'clock will be given over to the presentation of the Christmas program by the young people of the church. The primary and junior grades will participate in a worship program arranged by Miss Dorothy Wiles, while the older folks will present a Christmas pageant and other features of inspiration under the leadership of the minister.

Last Sunday evening the pastor gave
 the final act-story in the series on "The
 Fool". The series as given was one of
 those dramatic moral presentations long
 to be remembered.

Universalist
 Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m.

"The Nativity", a Christmas pageant by Rosamond Kimball, will be presented in Concert Hall. This service is composed entirely of selections from the Gospels, arranged in dramatic form on the plan of the mystery play so common during the Middle Ages, picturing the incidents of the life of Christ.

There are four scenes as follows: 1, The Temple; 2, The Annunciation; 3, The Shepherds in the Field; 4, The Nativity. The characters are Mary, played by Clara Adkins; Joseph, played by Os-

mond Towne; Gabriel, played by Eleanor Rich; Zacharias, played by Sam Favors. The three shepherds are Robert Emerson Vivian Hutchins and Harlow Adkins. And the three wise men are; Edwin Barker, Conrad B. Rheiner and Glenn McIntire. Fred Paul is the reader, and the

choir sings the incidental music. The pageant is directed by Rev. Conrad F. Rheiner. Mrs. Rheiner is assistant. This service has the threefold appeal—the Bible words accompanied by music, with the actual scenes of the Nativity story. It is a unique and wonderfully impressive Christmas program.

Rev. Conard B. Rheimer, the pastor, will preach a special Christmas sermon at the morning service beginning at 10 o'clock. His topic will be "Incarnation". There will be special Christmas music by the vested choir and the congregation will sing familiar Christmas carols. The local singing will go on to the "C O T T I E".

The Sunday school will convene at 11:10 in Concert Hall, when a special program will be presented. A junior choir will lead the singing of the Christmas carols and the Christmas story will be presented in tableaux.

The Y. P. C. U. will hold a devotion meeting at 6:00 p. m., leader, Earl Pierce. Topic, "Should Our Immigration Laws be Strengthened".

At 7:30 p. m., a group of young people will present a pageant, "The Nativity". Everybody in the community is invited to attend this inspirational service.

The annual Christmas supper, tree and entertainment for the Sunday school will take place on Monday evening at 6: p. m. Mrs. Holt will have charge of the supper and different classes will look after getting the tree, decorating it and distributing the presents.

An installation service will be held Friday, January 2, and several out-town speakers will participate. Particulars will be given in the Advertiser next week.

Baptist
Sunday Christmas services at 10-

Sunday, Christmas services at 10 and 7, Bible school at 12. Our Bible school is growing in numbers and interest. Parents, don't simply send your children, but take your part in the study of the word of God. Classes for all.

This week the whole church is reading the Acts of the Apostles. We are reading

ing a book of the Bible every week. All problems, difficulties or questions in connection with the reading may be presented to the pastor.

There will be no Home Department next week.

This Thursday at 3:15 right at school the boys and girls met in the y

try for their own good time. The story this week in the boys and girls of the Bible series is "The Slave girl who helped her master".

Our Thursday meeting is for all and a time of prayer, fellowship and testimony, in the things of God, everyone

ing free to express themselves. The discussion of some subject vital to the Christian life is also a feature. This week Chester P. Gates will lead in the discussion of the topic, "How to Make Oth Happy". Come and join in.

We are preparing for Christmas and there will be a children's rehearsal

der the care of Mrs. Edith Corbett at the church, Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

Congregational

Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning service, 11 a. m. There will be special Christmas music by the vested choir.

Christmas Carols, Schulling; The Song of Bethlehem, Wilson; The First Christmas, Howe. The pastor will preach the topic, "The Inspiration of Christmas". There will be a Christmas Candle Light service at 6 p. m., to which all are invited. The following program will be given:

Organ Prelude	Mrs. Ho
Anthem	Ch
Christmas Scripture Reading	
Prayer	
Carol Singing	
Carol Rubira and Bernice Sha	
Address	Pa
Solo, "There's a Song in the Air"	
	Kathryn Groezin
Christmas Story "The Sandal Wood Mak	

Mrs. Christian Groezinger and her class of young ladies will have charge of the opening program of the church school next Sunday at 10:00 o'clock in a Christmas order of service.

The Christmas trees and Christmas lunch for the Sunday school, for both old and young, will be held Tuesday, Dec. 23, from 4 to 7 p. m., the luncheon being served between 5 and 6. Any one having packages for the tree or money to contribute can hand them to Ernest Moores or M. Hattie Brown. The committee have

ceived a letter signed "Santa Claus" saying that he will be at Fred Brown store at 3:45 to meet the children and with them to the church.

AT CHRISTMAS-TIDE

Fair visions of the days gone by
Come to us at the Christmas-tide,
Each happy face so full of joy,
Dear ones now scattered far and wide
We see the tree laden with gifts,
We hear their eager voices call;
The outstretched hand, the longing look,
Fond memory pictures to us all.
Some dwell now in far distant lands,
And some have crossed the unknown sea

But still, from out the vanished past,
Their Christmas songs come back to me
—ALMA PENDEXTER HAYDEN

BRYANT POND

Caught Bob Cat—Robinsons Moved to Bessey Road.

Homer Farnum, on going to his traps the other night, was surprised to find a large bobcat in the trap. It weighed twenty-three pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Robinson of Locke Mills have moved to Mrs. Hilde Bessey's rent, recently vacated by Homer Farnum.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dragon of Rumbold spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Berrymont.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Berrymont are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

Miss Esther Littlefield is having a two weeks vacation from her school at Peru.

Rev. Charles D. McKenzie of South Paris preached last Sunday. Mrs. McKenzie accompanied him.

Mrs. Claude Cushman spent last Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hadley of Sumner.

Mrs. Ethel Littlefield of Bethel spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Florence Swift.

Mrs. Josie Thurlow spent Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Nathalie Hodgkins, South Woodstock.

Margie Kimball was in Lewiston last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Berrymont are receiving congratulations on a baby boy, born December 12. Mrs. Grace Foley of West Bethel is caring for mother and baby.

BETHEL

A three act play "The Birds' Christmas Carol" by Kate Douglas Wiggin will be presented by the Girl Reserves of Gould Academy, at the William Bingham gymnasium, Dec. 17, 8 p. m. with specialities between the acts. The cast of characters is as follows:

Carol Bird.....Marguerite Hancock
Mrs. Bird.....Catherine Carter
Mr. Bird.....Elizabeth Hunt
Tina Jack.....Catherine Lyon
Bridget.....Rosalee Thurston

The Rangelos family:
Mrs. Rangelos.....Kathryn Horrick
Peter.....Evelyn Thurston
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A beautiful Christmas cantata entitled "King All Glorious" by Roy E. Nolte and directed by Rev. L. A. Edwards and Suzanne Russell, organist, was presented by a choir of twenty voices at the Congregational Church, Sunday evening. The program was as follows:

"Sing O Heaven".....Choir
"Rebels, the Morning Communion".....Choir
"Gala on the Listening Ear".....Choir
"And in the Country of Judea".....Choir
"Star of Bethlehem".....Choir
"Catherine Lyon and Margaret Carter
"Behold There Came Wise Men".....Choir
"O' Who Believe".....Choir
"All Hail the King of Glory".....Choir
"Christmas Morn".....Choir
"O' Wondrous Song".....Choir
"Joy to the World".....Choir

Other taking part were: Ellen Cottrell, Barbara Horrick, Kathryn Horrick, Berice Heath, Betty Chubb, Geo. Russell, Doris Leach, Russell, Dr. L. H. Went, Arthur Cutler, Charles Valentine, Guy Thurston.

Mrs. Hannah Coolidge of Locke's Mills is visiting Mrs. Maude Sanborn.

Herman Mason has returned from Boston, where he spent the past week.

Mrs. F. B. Tuell is at Milton, Mass., where she will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Gutthard Carlson.

Mrs. Harold Millett of South Paris has been guest of her sister, Mrs. Lucian Littlefield.

Mrs. E. P. Brown, Mrs. Ruth Poole, Mrs. Bernice Heath and Mrs. Bert Grover were in Portland, one day recently.

Mrs. Wallace Coolidge visited relatives in Berlin, N. H., one day last week.

Lester Coolidge spent the week end at Wallace Coolidge's.

Miss Ella Sanborn is visiting friends in Lewiston.

Dr. W. B. Twaddle has returned to his home from a visit at his brother's, Dr. Gard Twaddle's and family, at Auburn.

Mrs. Winnie Bartlett is caring for Mrs. C. C. Bryant, who is seriously ill at her home on Mechanic Street.

SOUTH BETHEL

Sunday Visitors—School Closed

Mrs. Louise Knight, Mrs. Henry Hall and children were at Bryant Pond, Friday.

Frank Cummings from Bryant Pond was in town, Sunday.

Guy Smith and son were at his brother's, Elmer Smith's.

Alfred Mason was at Ramford one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamont Brooks from Rowe Hill visited his brother, Frank Brooks, and family, also Mrs. Brooks' brother, Henry Hall, and family, Sunday.

Delphon Howe from Gorham N. H., was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Mae Walker entertained her neighbors from South Paris over the week end.

School closed Friday for a two weeks vacation. There was a Christmas tree in the afternoon which was enjoyed by the children, also parents and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brooks and Verna Mason were at Locke's Mills, Sunday evening.

Arthur Cross and Mabel Bartlett from Albion were callers at Elmer Smith's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brooks and Verna Mason were at Ben Tyler's at East Bethel, one evening last week.

GREENWOOD CENTER

Christmas Program—Purchased New Radios.

School closed in this vicinity, Friday, Dec. 12th for two weeks. The children had a Christmas tree and a short program. The program was as follows:

Welcome.....Raymond Seames
The Christmas Candle.....Stanley Seames
The Longest Days of All.....Muriel Seames
The Little Christmas Tree.....Carol Seames
The Season's Greetings.....Lillian Cole
Santa's Coming Group.....Lillian Cole
Once a Year.....Evelyn Seames
A Christmas Story, read by.....David Martin
Christmas Secrets.....Verna Mason
On Christmas Eve.....LeRoy Martin Jr.
General Robinson is working at the mill at Locke Mills for a short time.

Elvia Cole visited with Verna Dunham at Rowe Hill over the week end.

Gerald Robinson and Mrs. E. L. Martin have purchased Alway's Kent radios.

NEWRY

Mrs. Addie Wakefield of North Bethel spent last Sunday with Mrs. Walter Powers.

There is a truck hauling G. H. Learned's birch timber.

The school closed here last Friday for two weeks vacation. There was a small program and Christmas tree for the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bean of Sunday River were here last Sunday.

Mrs. Hazel Smith is staying with her mother.

ALBANY

Community Christmas Tree—Kenistons Moved—Drilling for Feldspar.

The Community Christmas Tree will be held at the church at Hunt's Corner, Friday night, December 26. Supper will be served with a program by the children following.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Keniston and family have moved to Bethel, where Mr. Keniston has employment for the winter. Miss Adelaide Ramsell of Bethel spent the afternoon, recently, with Mrs. Charles Gorman.

Mrs. Charles Gorman, Mrs. Floyd Kimball and Mrs. George Brown were in Rumbold, Thursday.

E. O. Donahue was in South Paris, Monday, on business.

Miss Sylvia Bird of North Lovell is spending part of her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. W. I. Beekler.

Mrs. W. I. Beekler, Mrs. Inez Bean, accompanied Mrs. Herman Cummings and George Cummings to Rumbold, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kimball and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gorman and daughter, Elizabeth, were in Lewiston, Saturday.

L. N. Kimball is doing lots of drilling and blasting for feldspar on Brown Hill. He has a compressed air drill at work there.

MILTON

The school had an entertainment and Christmas tree, Friday night. They had a good time and have two weeks vacation.

A. W. Bryant is going to build a milk room and put windows in the tie-up and do other work for Willie Bean.

Harry Poland spent Sunday with his brother, Charles Poland.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Morse and son, Harlan, of South Paris, were callers at H. S. Ellings' Sunday.

They had their last dance at Roger Farnum's Saturday night.

Walter Millett was a caller at Llewellyn Buck's, Bryant Pond, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Domesday of West Paris were at her parents', H. A. Buck's, Sunday.

Carrier Jackson of Bryant Pond is at F. D. Lapham's.

Clara Jackson is home on two weeks vacation from her school at Rumbold.

GILEAD

Mrs. Harry Taylor is confined to her home by illness.

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Mrs. Mary Filstead was in Lewiston, Monday.

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OXFORD—FORE STREET

Isn't it wonderful how Oxford Fore Street is coming into its own? Some body must be sitting up and taking notice by what is "Heard and Seen at the Advertiser Office."

Mission meetings were held on Fore St., and at Oxford Village, Tuesday and Friday, Dec. 8th and 12th, to close up the Christmas work as note are to be held until after December 25.

Christina Brown spent the night, Dec. 12, at Irving Brown's, Norway Center, in honor of a birthday of one of the family.

Nice white snow storm, Dec. 11-12, causing the world to look Christmasy, promises a "White Christmas."

Elmer and Albert Twitchell were in Bethel, the 12th.

Time Twitchell was at Norway Lake Mothers' Club Hall to a religious service Friday night, with Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Twitchell.

Much has been said about Fore Street people feeding those asking for coffee and food. One man called at a place, asked for food, was given a good lunch, and calling at another house, said he had called at every house, was denied food, and was told that no one cared if he had to sleep in the road. Makes us wonder what is best to do. How can we please?

A. D. Cummings is away on a business trip to Virginia.

Margaret Cummings is assisting at Fred Brown's store during the Christmas season.

EAST OXFORD

Geo. H. McKen has made several business trips lately, one to Berlin and Gorham, N. H., another through New Hampshire, Vermont and Canada and one to Boston, Mass.

Russell H. Howland has finished work at the apple canning factory at South Paris.

Marcus Strother has gone to West Paris to work.

Oliver E. Morse is clipping wood for Austin Stearns at South Paris.

Edgar Strother is cutting wood for A. Chester Witham.

Edward Strother, who has been working in Portland, has returned to Mrs. Belle Strother's.

WELCHVILLE

Mrs. Dennis Dorey, who has been spending two weeks at Lynn, Mass., has returned to her home.

Mrs. Annie Frye has gone to Lynn for an indefinite visit.

Clayton Fritz and daughter, Margaret, were week end guests at Harry Haman's.

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NORTH WOODSTOCK

Car Damaged by Truck—Millets to Move

Mrs. Ralph Weeks of Frye was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Moses Hardy, one day recently.

Herman Cole and James Knight while coming home from Strong, Sunday night, was hit by a large truck. Neither was much hurt, but the car was badly damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Whitman visited at Mrs. Georgia Whitman's, Wednesday.

There will be Christmas exercises and a tree at the schoolhouse, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hemingway were in Lewiston, Sunday.

Mrs. Herman Cole, Elizabeth Cole, and James Knight were in Rumbold, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollen Abbott, Mrs. Geo. Abbott and son, Harland, and Bernard McMillan attended church at Bryant Pond Sunday.

Mrs. Francis Cole recently spent a day with her daughter at Bryant Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Millett will soon move in with their daughter, Mrs. Alpheus Coffin, and family, for the winter.

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NOTICE

Norway Savings Bank has been notified in writing that book of deposit in said Bank, number 7885 has been lost and requesting that a new book be issued.

NORWAY SAVINGS BANK,
Norway, Me., Nov. 29, 1930. 49-51

NOTICE

Eva Paine Davis having left my bed and board, this 26th day of November, 1930, I hereby give notice that I shall not after this date be responsible for any debts contracted by her.

EDWIN DAVIS,
Welchville, Me. 49-51

STATE OF MAINE

County of Oxford, ss.
To Charles E. Abbott of Southboro, in the County of Worcester and State of Massachusetts.

Whereas, Charles E. Abbott on the twenty-fourth day of June, 1930, by his Holmes note mortgaged to Arthur B. Whitman of Norway, the following personal property:

1. Durham cow, registered thoroughbred, about fifteen years old—color, red roan, and star in forehead, and one Durham heifer, registered thoroughbred, about two years old and color, red roan and star in forehead.

To secure payment of one hundred fifty dollars and no cents, which mortgage is recorded in the town records in the town of Sumner, book No. 10, page 238, and whereas the conditions of said mortgage have been broken, now therefore, notice is hereby given of my intention to foreclose said mortgage for breach of its condition.

December 2, 1930. ARTHUR B. WHITMAN, (attorney of service of notice of foreclosure). I, Charles Huff, hereby certify on oath that I was unable to serve the foregoing notice on Charles E. Abbott by leaving a copy of said notice and I left the said copy at the Norway Advertiser Office to be published three weeks in accordance to the Revised Statutes, Chapter 105, Section 4, and took into my possession by the written authority from the within named Arthur B. Whitman, the above described property, to be by him held awaiting order of redemption.

CHARLES HUFF, Deputy Sheriff.
County of Oxford, ss. December 2, 1930
Subscribed and sworn to, before me, ROBERT B. DOW,
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Chub Aboard with the Fryeburg Fliver

One, and he wouldn't feed it to his young ones. "Del" Prince was also goose enough to buy an old gander. He probably figured that "road" gander, being fit for a king, ought to be fit for a Prince. And 'twas "Del" had seventeen kinds of fit when he tried to carve it.

One of the main thoroughfares of bustling Fryeburg has been dubbed "Dog Street" because the dogs run wild there. It's a vice-versy in Fryeburg.

Hour Weekly Owed

Oh, Fee-Wee! he has hit our town; Our course is a bit of a wobble. And young and old, so I've been told, Send little gibes about the wobble.

And some can do a hole in "one". And some take "ten" or "twenty". But, by the looks of pocketbooks, The holes will be plenty.

And "bridge" must take a seat, way back With pincushions and parchees. Once, all the gay could play croquet; These games are now, too easy.

No simple pastimes for our town, Just rig out in your knickerbockers. Drive off! What bliss! But if you miss, If you'd be "it" in this man's town, Even though the game you're hating, Just join the throng; you can't go wrong; 'Twill help your social rating.

Well, let them ramble on the green, I'll see to it that you're not; But I'll get home and scratch my "dome" Over a game of "solitaire". —O. R. M.

NEWNESS OF THE OLD

There is nothing new about a Christmas tree. But that only makes it the lovelier. There is nothing new about Santa Claus. But that does not take away from the charm of their belief.

There is nothing new about stockings hanging in windows. But that does not make them any less a welcome sight.

There is nothing new about children hanging up their stockings. But that does not take away from the appeal of those long, empty stockings, hanging up so expectantly.

There is nothing new about members of a family being together for Christmas. But that does not take away from its deep joyousness.

There is nothing new about Christmas wishes and greetings. But that does not make them any less cheery.

There is nothing new about giving Christmas presents. But that does not make them any less interesting.

There is nothing new about tinsel and decorations and red ribbon and silver string. But that does not make them any less gay and decorative.

There is nothing new about Christmas. But there is no day like it to all the year.

KEZAR FALLS

Cement Road Dedicated—Kiwanis Notes

Mr. Lewis Jones of Limerick occupied the pulpit of the M. E. church last Sunday morning. Rev. Arthur Callaghan had been called to his home on account of illness to his foot. Mr. Jones read a good sermon from the text, "And I if I be lifted up, will draw all men unto me." Mrs. Chauncey Cutting sang a beautiful solo, "Show Me the Way, O Father Almighty" in a most impressive manner.

The Portland Press Herald is a favorite paper in Kezar Falls and if follows is a matter of course that its offspring, the Sunday Press Herald, is a welcome visitor. Last Sunday it was extremely vivid and teeming with interest. A glance within its pages revealed the face of F. W. Sanborn, editor of the Norway Advertiser, with accompanying words of commendation, which made very pleasant reading, and that was not all; the paper was electrified and the very pictures appeared full of sparkle and animation.

Miss Phyllis Holmes of the Rhode Island Hotel is home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holmes, to stay during the Christmas holidays.

The cement road between this village and Gorham, which has recently been completed, was Saturday afternoon the scene of a charming party. The original plans were modified, the automobile procession given up and the meeting held in the town hall with Leroy Bachelder presiding. The meeting opened with prayer by Rev. J. J. Clark of Gorham, who brought the Reverend Father's blessing upon road and people. The two speakers were dispirited of progress. Donald B. Partridge, Congressman-elect of Norway and Oxford, L. Stanley of Kezar Falls, a member of the governor's council.

Both gentlemen made interesting speeches and extolled the value of good roads. Edna's orchestra from Cornish and son's club choir, filled all vacancies very acceptably. To witness the Christmas party was necessary to leave the hall, cross the bridge and stand in the square facing the bank. Directions were minutely followed. The young lady broke the bottle containing the water from the Ossipee River over the designated area, recited her verses, bowed to the assembly and the "concrete road" became an established fact. The thanks of the people are largely given to Orman L. Stanley as being the originator, sponsor and active advocate of the road.

Last Monday night the Kiwanis had their annual meeting at the Hotel Malvern and listened with great interest to Doc Melvin Leavitt of Eppingham, N. H., (the speaker of the evening) recount fifty years of his life, which was an upward struggle from his boyhood. He thirsted for knowledge, but sixteen weeks of school was all he ever received from a little red schoolhouse, or any other schoolhouse.

"Where there is a will, there is a way" and he heaved his way as he went toward his goal, each step engraved indelibly upon his memory. Without complaint against his hard fate he simply forged ahead and what he wished for, came to pass. He stands, a man among men, eminent in his profession, a lover of his native place and of his fellow men and has the knowledge within him how best to help him in his hour of need.

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HARRISON

Past Grange Entertained—Flints Returned Home—Grange Officers—Mrs. Whitman Dead.

Mrs. Geraldine Jackson entertained the Past Grange of Mt. Hope Rebekah Lodge of Norway and Woodland Lodge of Harrison at her home, Jackson House, Friday, a delicious luncheon was served at 1 o'clock, consisting of scallops, fruit salads, hot rolls, pickles, frozen pudding, Rebekah cake, coffee, doughnuts, nuts and mints. A delightful afternoon was enjoyed by about twenty-four Past Grangers.

Among those present were: Mrs. Maude DeCosta, Mrs. Eva Kimball, Mrs. Harriet Brown, Mrs. Alice R. Danforth, Mrs. Gertrude Hosmer, Mrs. Gertrude Libby, Mrs. Pont Brown, Mrs. Rosa York, Mrs. Annie Knight and the hostess, Mrs. Jackson, all of Norway Lodge, and Mrs. Gertrude B. Blake, Mrs. Martha Bennett, Mrs. Gertrude G. Smith, Mrs. Gertrude Nevers, Mrs. Mary Ward, Mrs. Rebecca Shedd, Mrs. Genie J. Burnham, Mrs. Grace K. Lamb, Mrs. Dora Wheeler, Mrs. Gladys K. Chapman, Mrs. Minnie E. Pitts, Mrs. Harriet G. Kneeland, Mrs. Alice S. Denison.

The Woodland Rebekah Lodge are invited to the Christmas party at Harrison on Friday evening. A good number are planning to attend and will go in Purington's bus.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Harrington Flint, who have spent the past month with their parents in Jamaica, N. Y., have returned to their home here.

Last week the prayer meeting of Calvary Community church was held with Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Bennett on Main street.

Celia Tarbox is spending a week in Portland the guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Sylvester.

On Saturday evening a baked bean supper was served at the Lakeside Grange which was well attended. At the regular meeting following the supper the following officers were elected for the coming year:

Master—Myron Briggs.
Overseer—Mrs. Celia Ward.
Lecturer—Edward Webster.
Ass. Lecturer—Ree Butterfield.
Chaplain—Mrs. Louise Briggs.
Treasurer—Lewis Briggs.
Secretary—Mrs. Gertrude Smith.
Gate Keeper—Clifford Chapman.
Organist—Mrs. Mildred Chase.
Pomona—Mrs. Hazel Chase.
Flora—Mrs. Ruth Butterfield.
G. A. S.—Miss Margarette Jason.
Planist—Mrs. Nettie Gray.
S. S. Com. for 3 years—Arthur T. Smith.

At the next meeting, Dec. 27, a Christmas party will be enjoyed and each member is asked to bring an inexpensive gift.

On Friday evening the Harrison Lodge, I. O. O. F., served a fine supper to the Rebekahs and the ladies of the members of I. O. O. F. A dance and sing followed and a good time enjoyed.

Exactly one week after the death of Rev. E. Z. Whitman at Bonafide, Utah, his widow, Mrs. Dora V. Whitman, passed away, Dec. 11th. Mrs. Whitman also lived in Harrison many years and had many friends here. She was born in

BATES—WEST PARIS

Grange Notes—Unions Entertained—D. of U. V. Notes—Guests at Curtis'.

The Grange held an all day meeting last Saturday. There was a good number of interested members present and one visitor in the afternoon, a young lady from Dickvale, who is a member of the West Paris Grange, who is staying with Mrs. H. W. Dunham for companion and assisting with the house work. This meeting of the Grange was the annual business meeting and election of officers. It was voted to leave the arrangement of installation with the Master, C. L. Richardson, who will consult with Paris Grange and invite them to unite for that business in return for last year, when West Paris met at South Paris with them. The annual reports of the secretary and treasurer were given, the latter showing an encouraging gain in the financial affairs of the Grange. A plan to install the pictures of the Past Masters on the wall of the auditorium is well under way. There have been twenty-two Masters, who have served from one to four years each since the organization of the West Paris Grange in 1888. Harrison W. Childs was the first Master, who with nine others have passed on to the Great Grange above.

Mrs. R. T. Flavin, who received injuries by falling on the cellar stairs, proved worse than at first was supposed, and she had to take her bed after keeping up for four or five days. Her leg is gaining now. Edith Bradford is helping out with the work.

The Junior and Senior Unions of the Universalist church were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albion Abbott last Sunday evening for their meeting. Mr. and Mrs. Abbott have invited them to meet in their home through the winter months, which is much appreciated, since it is not only a saving in heating expenses, but the young people like it and the attendance is better.

Mrs. Gertrude Stuart of Auburn, who has been visiting Mrs. F. S. Farnum, is now spending a week with Mrs. L. H. Emery.

Mrs. Nellie Richardson of Henniker, N. H., has been visiting her uncle, Alfred, and Mrs. Perham.

Mrs. W. Farr is slowly gaining from her recent illness. She takes daily walks outdoors with her nurse and is gaining in weight.

Miss Dorothy Millett of Norway recently visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Patch.

Barbara Richardson has returned from the hospital, where she has been for an operation for appendicitis, and is making good recovery.

Granite Chapter O. E. S. enjoyed a Christmas tree and refreshments, Thursday evening.

Harold Gammon was in Boston last week on business.

Ruth Tucker is visiting Dr. and Mrs. Taylor in Brookline, Mass.

Stanley I. Perham has had a hard wood inside casing put into his display window in the Maine Mineral Store and has decorated it with a little Christmas tree, pretty necklaces and fancy embroidery work.

Daughters of Union Veterans held regular meeting at I. O. O. F. hall, Monday evening, Dec. 15. A program was given in observance of the anniversary of the organization of the department. The next meeting, Jan. 5, will be installation of officers. A covered dish supper will be served. Each member not solicited, bring sandwiches or pastries.

Letitia and Betty Hollis are home from Gorham Normal School for a vacation of ten days.

Visitors at Charles Curtis' on Sunday were Mrs. Curtis' mother, Mrs. J. A. Farquhar, sister, Miss Nellie Hammond, brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hammond, all of Gorham, N. H.

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BRIDGTON CENTER

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Culbert and children, Mary, Leoline, William and Pearl were Sunday visitors at their parents' in Oxford.

William Day's family have moved from Oxford to Bridgton Center for the winter.

Henry Walker and W. L. Day have gone to East Bethel to work in the woods for A. B. Grover.

Hubelle Darling and family, who were burned out at Otisfield, are stopping with her mother, Mrs. Etta Warren at North Bridgton. The family of four just got out, they lost all household furnishings, two big cars, a truck, five head of cattle, a pair of large work horses, a nice hog, besides the hog they had just dressed off. Will Day also lost a nice cow and horse in these buildings. Mr. Day, who was at the time moving to Bridgton, left them here until he could get settled. This was quite a loss to Mr. Day, who has a big family and has had a lot of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Wentworth were Saturday evening callers at Percy Culbert's.

For that Christmas gift—send the Norway Advertiser—you will find it an acceptable present.

BOLSTERS MILLS

The schools closed Friday for a two weeks vacation. Both schools united and had a nice Christmas program and the children all took their parts well, especially little Willard Clark, Jr., who sang a song alone. There were a lot of visitors and lots of presents for the children.

We have a little snow that helps fill up the rut in the roads.

A. W. Weston went, Thursday, to Berlin, N. H., to see his sister, Mrs. Mark Twitcheell.

The blacksmith, Mr. Perry, from Watertown, has been over helping W. B. Mills shoe up the team horses that are working for George Skillings in his mill.

FRYEBURG—TOLL BRIDGE

Allan Fraser has finished work at Indian Acres for 1930.

Mrs. Fred Holt has a bad cold and is unable to be out of her room.

Harold McAllister helped Allan and Kenneth Fraser kill a beef creature and a pig, the 12th.

School closed the 13th for a two weeks vacation.

Mrs. Isma Coleman of Lovell Center was the guest of Mrs. Susan Fraser, Thursday, the 11th, it being Mrs. Coleman's birthday.

Kenneth Fraser has a set of ox slings and is going to shoe his own cattle, thus saving the long trek to Goldthwaite & Dennett at Menotomy.

Frank Walker and Percy Coombs are working for Harry Holt at his birch mill. Wallace Merrill and Archie Thompson are cutting wood in Sweden for Bill Whitman.

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The regular program of the parish has been carried on the past weeks. Church schools and congregations have improved at most points of the parish this winter. Now all eyes are fixed on Christmas, and preparations are being made for special Xmas services and entertainments. It is planned to make this a White Gift Christmas. Christmas stockings are being filled with dimes for the cheer of poorer patients in the Deaconess' Hospital, Boston. Gifts of food and clothing, toys and books, and also money will be received to help our own unemployed, and such places as the Little Wanderers' Home, Boston.

Sunday night, at the Harbor Church, there will be a Pageant showing the first Christmas scenes, with appropriate music. The Church School tree and entertainment is booked for Monday, Dec. 22nd.

Through the kindness of the Fryeburg Lovell Kiviana Club, we hope to make gifts of candles and fruit to the youngsters of the six Sunday Schools of the parish. The children will sing carols at the community trees in the center of Lovell and North Fryeburg villages.

Ezra Bosworth will be the featured guest at the Harbor Men's Club on Friday. David Bradley had cooked a fine New England boiled dinner for the fellows, and after the dishes were washed, Mr. Bosworth gave a very fine talk on his trip to Alaska. It was full of interest, and Ezra promised to come again and tell the rest of the story. Officers were elected for the year as follows:

President—Holmes Gould.
Vice Pres.—Simon Goupill.
Secy.—Leon Charles.
Program Committee Chairman—Rev. Walter Pavy.

The Club agreed to make a platform to put under the piano recently purchased for the church by the Fryeburg village, and also decided to form a "choir" under the direction of D. A. Bradley to cut wood for the church.

The story of the North Fryeburg Willing Workers' Sale of Work, chicken pie supper and entertainment, of this Wednesday, will be told next week.

EAST FRYEBURG

Sanborn Returned Home—Sunday Guests—Grange Officers Elected.

Frank Sanborn returned Thursday night from a ten days trip to the State Grange in Lewiston and a visit in Boston. At the annual meeting of Cumberland and Oxford Union Farmers, at West Baldwin, Thursday, Walter Dyer of East Fryeburg Grange was elected Steward, Mrs. Dyer, Ceres and Frank Sanborn, Gate keeper.

Enoch W. Pike did Millard Sanborn's chores while he and his wife attended the State Grange. Raymond Richardson and family of Woodford were at W. B. Warren's Sunday.

Frank Sanborn was a dinner guest, Sunday, at Mr. and Mrs. Henry Warren's.

At a well attended meeting of the Grange, Friday evening, the following officers were elected for the year 1931:

Master—William H. Berry, Jr.
Lecturer—Averil Hardman.
Steward—Lester Peltier.
Asst. Steward—C. Dwight Rose.
Chaplain—Henry Lord.
Treasurer—Walter Sanborn.
Secretary—Frank M. Sanborn.
Gate Keeper—Donald Potter.
Ceres—Leona P. Sanborn.
Fonnes—Linda Lord.
Flora—Lettie Lord.
Executive Com. for three years—Wm. Berry, Sr.

HARBOR

Mrs. Watson Given Party—C. H. Fisher Dead.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pray and Holman, Mrs. E. C. Goupill, were Portland visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Newcomb, who has visited her daughter, Mrs. Frank Pray, has gone to Massachusetts to visit another daughter, Mrs. Alonzo Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hurd were in Norway, Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Stanley entertained the Ladies' Aid, Thursday.

Friends of Mrs. Alice Watson gave her a surprise party, Saturday night, it being her birthday.

School closed Friday, with a Christmas tree and exercises and Miss Fairbanks has gone home for two weeks vacation.

James Goupill was home from Bowdoin Saturday night, returning Sunday with Bowdoin boys, who visited the Academy, Saturday night.

Friends here of C. H. Fisher of Worcester, Mass., who has visited the Hurd family every summer, and gave the church dishes and other gifts to the Ladies' Aid, have received word of his death, which occurred Sunday, Dec. 14, after a shock several days before.

Hazel Emery is home from her visit in Waterville.

Fryeburg—Fish Street

Attended Ladies' Aid Meeting—School Closed—Annual Farm Bureau Meeting.

Mrs. Morton Charles and Mrs. Everett Baker spent Friday in Portland.

Mrs. Elmer Baker, Mrs. Leon Charles and Mrs. Fernald Emerson attended the Ladies' Aid meeting at Mrs. Charles Stanley's at the Harbor, Thursday afternoon.

Elmer E. Baker was in Augusta on business, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kimball spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Thurston at South Liberty the past week. The Center school closed on Friday with a Christmas tree and entertainment in the evening and Miss Carolyn Pratt has gone to her home in Kennebunkport for two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cochran start this week to spend the winter in Pennsylvania and Detroit, Mich.

The annual meeting of the Fryeburg Farm Bureau will be at the I. O. O. F. Hall on Saturday, Dec. 20. Dinner will be served at noon. Everyone interested is urged to attend.

WEST FRYEBURG

West Fryeburg grammar school gave its Christmas entertainment Friday night. The schoolhouse was full and everyone reported a good time. The school has now closed for the Christmas recess. The program consisted of several dialogues and pantomimes. Mrs. Hill played the piano. Mrs. Gray and the scholars all deserve congratulations for the good work and success of the affair.

Arthur Gilman and daughter of Porter called on his brother, Herman Gilman, Saturday.

Miss Virginia Bell and Miss Mary Buzzell were callers at Marion Gilman's, Saturday afternoon.

NORWAY CENTER

A pleasant event took place Wednesday evening, Dec. 10, when Mrs. Alvin Brown was given a birthday surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Holman. A number of relatives and friends attended. Games were enjoyed during the evening and refreshments served.

There will be a preaching service Sunday at the usual hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Flint spent the week end with C. A. Flint and family.

STOW

School Notes

The following pupils haven't been absent from the Stow village school for the fall term (14 weeks):

Shirley Goupill
Frances Goupill
Dora Smith
Earl Smith

The following program was given by the pupils of the Stow village school Saturday afternoon, Dec. 13, 1930:

Song—Mary Teague
Christmas Bells—Alfreda Teague
Once a Year—Baby Bryant
Longest Days of All—Baby Bryant
Song, Away in a Manger—Dora and Doris Smith
Oleth Charles, Singers
Christmas Time—Benjamin Day
My Christmas Stocking—James Day
The Broken Doll—Helma Sampson
Song to Date—Dora Smith
Santa's Helper—Earl Smith
Christmas Tree—Donald Eastman
The Christmas Tree—Donald Eastman
Song—Alfreda Teague
Merry, Merry Christmas—Doris Smith and Lilla Day

DENMARK

The two basket ball teams played at Casco one night this week. The boys were defeated by about ten points. The girls' game was forfeited to our girls, the Casco team failing to appear on the floor in due time.

The Grange had their dance, Wednesday night with Jim Cole's orchestra. Frank Mitchell and Lloyd Libby are running Saturday night dances with music by Morton's Orchestra. There was a good crowd last Saturday night.

At Sunday School there are rehearsals going on for the community tree to be held at the Grange Hall on Christmas eve.

Miss Parker and Miss Givan from Massachusetts spent the week end here, calling on friends and visiting their camp.

The Odd Fellows are going to have a New Year's Ball on December 31, with music by Morton's Orchestra. There will be an oyster stew supper.

OTISFIELD—SPURR'S CORNER

Ficketts Moved—Mrs. Curtis Gaining—School Christmas Tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fickett have moved to their son's, Carl Fickett's, in this place.

Lee Hoyt went to Portland, Friday, with Lawrence Spiller.

Ellsworth Stuart is boarding at Carl Fickett's and is fireman at the mill.

Mrs. Ruth Curtis went to Lewiston, Friday, and had the cast removed from her leg. She is gaining, but unable to step on her foot yet.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Little were in Portland, Friday.

Several here attended the oyster supper and entertainment at East Otisfield, Friday night.

Mrs. Stella McAuliffe has a new Lyric electric radio in the store.

W. W. Hamlin has a Christmas tree on his piazza which is pretty at night, being lighted with colored bulbs.

The Spurr's Corner school are to have a Christmas tree and entertainment at the Grange Hall, Friday night this week.

A teacher's meeting was held at East Otisfield, Monday afternoon of this week. Arthur Smith was watchman at the Darling buildings fire in Tamworth two days last week.

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The Brackett School children gave a fine Christmas program last Friday afternoon at the school. Many parents and friends attended. Their Santa Claus was the teacher's son, Robert Gay, of Casco.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rowe and mother went to Portland, last Wednesday.

The Young People's Finnish Choir of Maple Ridge Church had a rehearsal Friday night at Jacob Nyhila's. Many young people were there.

Almon Rowe called at Everett Brackett's, Sunday afternoon.

Almon Rowe has been working some the past week for Frank Riddon at Sweden on his birch job, and expects to work there a few weeks longer.

Mrs. Queenie Riddon called on her mother-in-law, Sunday, to get her mother for a visit.

Miss Ella Nyhila called on Mrs. A. H. Rowe one day last week.

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The fact is, of course, that conditions of life have so changed since these laws were enacted, that they are not applicable to the present day and generation. There are certain things which have to be done on Sundays now which were not dreamed of in the early times in New England.

The proper way, of course, would be for the legislature to revise the laws and bring them up to date, rather than to have them violated openly, as so many of our laws are.

But when this has been attempted such varieties of opinion have been revealed as to just what the revised laws should be, that nothing could be enacted. After all, it is one of those things which is bound to be regulated in the final analysis by public opinion.

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Tom replied that this course had been in his mind from the first, but he wanted to be certain that Mr. Benton approved of the project before anything was said about it, even to his father.

Mr. Benton wrote Mr. Hadley at considerable length, describing the township—the great growth upon it of pine, spruce, cedar and hemlock—the drainage from the ponds being through a channel under a ridge made by the water—the great probability of this channel being as enlarged as to allow the passage of lumber and wood through it from the bottom and wood through it from the top. He further wrote that the tract had been secured for a reasonable sum—which he would leave to Mr. Hadley to decide. He would advance the money for Charles' half of it if he would do the same for Tom.

Mr. Hadley promptly replied that he was greatly pleased that Tom was taking an interest in business matters, but he hoped that he wouldn't load himself down with so many projects that he might sink under their weight. He would counsel Tom to go slow in his business, as he was under the immediate eyes of Mr. Benton and was disposed to enter into the venture. He would counsel Tom to go slow in his business, as he was under the immediate eyes of Mr. Benton and was disposed to enter into the venture. He would counsel Tom to go slow in his business, as he was under the immediate eyes of Mr. Benton and was disposed to enter into the venture.

There was in the Senate at that time a very close friend of Mr. Hadley—Mr. Lawrence Gould, who had served with him in the House. John Hadley had been Mr. Gould's right hand man when they were together in the Senate. "Hello, John," was his salutation upon catching sight of him. "Mighty glad to see you. Wish you were here now with me."

"How do you do, Lawrence. I'm mighty glad to see you, too. It reminds me of old times when under your leadership we used to beat those Boston chaps."

"Ah John, those were most satisfactory times for us—not so much now. I lack your assistance to help push things."

"Well, well, Lawrence, I don't believe you've lost your grip yet. You don't look it. Possibly it may not be so easy now in the Senate as it was in the House, but you get there just the same. I have no doubt."

"No, John, I haven't quite lost my grip, yet. Is there anything I can do for you?"

"Yes, Lawrence, for once I'd like something I'm personally interested in that no one but you can pull off for me."

"What is that, John? I'll pull off my coat for you any time for anything you want done."

Thereupon Mr. Hadley told the Senator of the two measures he would like to have pushed through the General Court for the benefit of his son, Tom, and his close friend, Charles Benton, son of the late state of Alderbury. Mr. Jarvis Benton, Gould said he had heard of Mr. Benton, who was a great worker for their side in public affairs. The trust company project, he declared, would go through without much trouble, but the other proposition would require some sharp fighting, he imagined, but he would see what could be done. He did so and reported to Mr. Hadley that he had seen the state treasurer and ascertained that the township had in fact been twice advertised for sale, with no bidders and he thought that an act for its sale at five thousand dollars—fifty cents an acre—the old price for state lands considered unit for settlement and cultivation—might pass the legislature and be signed by the governor.

This was very satisfactory to Mr. Hadley for he expected that the price would be at least twice that sum. Gould introduced a bill on the terms he had proposed, and also an act for the incorporation of the trust company. Mr. Hadley, having seen the two acts well studied, returned to their proper committees and in good hands, returned home.

In the time both measures passed the General Court and were signed by the Governor, Hon. William C. Noyes.

One of the best business chief executives of the old Bay State has ever lived. He was not only a man of fine executive ability, and with one whose public and private life was without a stain. He was born down in Maine. Mr. Hadley sent his check for the deed to the State treasurer and it was forwarded to him with an official copy of these acts incorporating the trust company.

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satisfactorily. Tom wrote his father a most affectionate letter, stating how proud he was to have such a parent and how grateful he and Charles were for what he had done for them. He wrote that he was certain that no one else could have it laid the foundation for both their future and their present. He wrote that he was certain that no one else could have it laid the foundation for both their future and their present.

The Alderburg Trust Company was incorporated by constituting all the persons named as directors and they chose Jarvis Benton, President, John Hadley, First Vice President, James Randolph, Second Vice President, Charles Benton, Treasurer, Tom Hadley, Secretary and Cyrus Whitman, Attorney. It was intended for the company to go immediately into business as Charles and Tom were not ready for that and it had no place as yet that was suitable for their purpose to do business in. In a talk with them about it, Mr. Benton inquired whether they had formed any plans to procure such a building that could be fitted up for their business. Tom said he had an eye on a certain store in the right locality, not too far away from the house, which in his opinion would soon be for sale.

"Ah, the Curtis store," said Mr. Benton. "Yes sir," replied Tom. "I've kept tabs on the way business has been done there, and I think Curtis will try to obtain another loan from Arnold, which I don't believe he'll get. And if he must give up his grocery business, what position could he get for him. I couldn't think of anything but his misfortune unless he obtained a better job. What kind of a fellow would he be to take my place as expressman, Mr. Benton?" "First rate, I think. I have known of course that you would in time, have to give up your present position and I couldn't settle in my own mind who there was here to take your place—I hadn't thought of Curtis of course, as I knew nothing about his affairs—and had about concluded that the company would have to send a man here to take charge of the business, but if Arthur Curtis should want the job, there will be no trouble, I think in his getting it."

"I'm glad Mr. Benton, you think Curtis would be a suitable person to take my place for it removes a great depression from my mind since I'm sure he will have to go out of his present business." The winter passed without incident or interest of importance to the parties with whom this narrative is concerned, and as the springtime approached Mr. Benton had been anxious to see the lot Charles and Tom had acquired, and was only waiting for the snow to go off and settled going to look it over. He wanted Mr. Hadley also to see it with him and upon his willingness to accompany him to the tract. One Saturday afternoon of a pleasant day, Tom went to Lakeport for his father and mother for a visit to himself and sister at Mrs. Morton's, she being only too glad to entertain them, on Tom's and Charles's account. While Tom was gone Bob, as usual, had charge of the express office.

On the way back from Lakeport, Tom pointed out to his parents the places, which had been of principal interest to him, on his hike through the country. It was at the twilight hour as they passed the Benton place, which was greatly admired by Mr. Hadley and his wife for its fine situation, its commodious looking buildings and their architectural beauty. The elder Hadleys found Mrs. Morton an admirable hostess, who was so profuse in her praises of Tom and Charles that she took a great liking to Bob, who made himself very agreeable to that gentleman during his stay in Alderburg, and before he returned home he complimented Mrs. Morton on her having such a fine boy, a name for himself. "He reminds me of my Tom at his age," he said. And to this she had replied that it was not strange, for Tom was his hero and his character and aspirations were being formed by her son. "And the peculiar thing about it was," she said, "that Bob was determined to be a lawyer and Tom was encouraging him in it."

learned through Tom that their general views of public affairs were the same. Each saw in the other a person of superior qualities and since they were to be somewhat connected in business relations through their children, they felt drawn to each other with the greatest satisfaction. The matrons, too, on their arrival at the Benton home had a love feast. There was much satisfaction expressed at their being brought together through their children, which of course were declared to be the very best in the world. Mrs. Benton declared that Betty was just the best one Charles could have for a wife, and Mrs. Morton, in turn, enlarged upon Charles being the handsomest of the town, and it was no wonder that Betty had lost her heart to him, and she said she was very proud of Betty's choice for her future husband. What Mrs. Benton and Mrs. Hadley said to each other about Tom and Charles had not been reported, but there is not the least doubt that it was of the most satisfactory character.

After dinner Mr. Benton took Mr. Hadley around his premises. The latter was much impressed with the appearance of neatness and thrift that was everywhere to be seen, and he greatly admired the fine view which he declared was one of the very best he had ever seen. When they returned to the house Mr. Benton said that they must have some music of a lighter character than was usual at church, and the quartette sang several selections to the great gratification of the listeners, among which were: "In a Little Spanish Town," "My Old New Hampshire Home," "Where the Silvery Coleridge Winds Its Way," "Under the Shade of the Old Apple Tree," and "Don't You Remember." Mr. and Mrs. Hadley now realized as they had never before, how much Tom had come to mean to them, and what a loss they would feel if he were to leave them. "And what could he do without me, Betty? To be sure he plans, but he relies upon me to approve and help carry them out. What he lacks, I supply, and what I lack he has. Don't you see how we fit in together?"

"Guess you have scored once more, Charles, but you know it's the money that makes the mare go, as the saying is, and you two must have it to start on and your fathers have got it and are ready to help you with it."

"Yes, that is true, Betty. No two young men ever had better fathers. Tomorrow I take them up to the lot to see what they think of it."

"(To be continued)"

OXFORD
Oxford high seniors will present their annual play, "Take My Advice," at Robinson Hall, Thursday evening. A dance will follow with music by Pratt's Screamers.

T. A. Roberts Woman's Relief Corps held a regular meeting, Wednesday evening and a ten cent supper was served to the members consisting of hot dishes, salads and pastry.

Pupils of grade schools will give a Christmas program, Friday afternoon at the gym, at 3:45 p. m.

Abbie Lovejoy entertained the Methodist Ladies' Aid, Wednesday afternoon. Leon Leonards of Minneapolis, Minn., has been a guest of his sister, Mrs. Mary Delano, the past week.

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